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Federal Communications Commission  
1919 M Street N.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

RE: PR Docket No. 93-39; FCC 93-113

Dear Sirs:

The Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association, representing over 300,000 aircraft owners and pilot supports the proposed rule extending the current license term for aircraft radio station licenses from five to ten years. The current five year renewal requirement only generates unnecessary paperwork and expense for both aircraft owners and the Federal Communication Commission.

It is important that with this extended license term that the fee for license renewal does not increase. This rule will eliminate some of the excessive paperwork that FCC must process and therefore a reduction in the \$35.00 application fee would be reasonable.

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to this matter.

Sincerely,

Melissa K. Bailey  
Associate Director  
Technical Services